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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTER		DATE	July 14, 2021
MOTOR CARRIER MATTER		DOCKET NO.	2021-88-E/2021-89-E 2021-90-E
UTILITIES MATTER	✓	ORDER NO.	2021-488

THIS DIRECTIVE SHALL SERVE AS THE COMMISSION'S ORDER ON THIS ISSUE.

Order Approving Procedural and Administrative Schedule

SUBJECT:

<u>DOCKET NO. 2021-88-E – Dominion Energy South Carolina, Incorporated's 2021 Avoided Cost Proceeding Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-41-20(A);</u>

<u>DOCKET NO. 2021-89-E – Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's 2021 Avoided Cost Proceeding</u> <u>Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-41-20(A);</u>

-and-

<u>Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-41-20(A)</u> - Staff Presents for Commission Consideration the Following Issues Related to Order No. 2021-413 - (1) The Revelation of the Sealed Submissions of the Name of the Filer(s) and Other Relevant Information as Requested by the Commissioners Regarding the Responses to the Request for Proposal (RFP) Solicitation Nos. 5400021595, 5400021596, and 5400021598 Issued Pursuant to Order No. 2021-413, and, (2) Other Administrative Tasks Related to the Responses to the RFP, Including, but Not Limited to, Scheduling Public Interviews and Scheduling Deadlines for the Parties in the Affected Dockets to Submit Questions for the Prospective Consultant, and Scheduling Deadlines for the Commission to Provide the Prospective External Qualified, Independent Third-Party Consultants or Experts with Proposed Questions from the Commissioners.

COMMISSION ACTION:

I move that the Commission approve the schedule as proposed by Executive Director Boyd including the time slots and the length of times. In the event it is determined that adjustments are needed to the schedule adjustments will be handled by Commission staff. The firms being interviewed will be given the opportunity to appear virtually. Subject to the flexibility given to staff to make adjustments as needed, the first start time for the public interviews is 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, July 21, 2021. So moved.

The schedule proposed by Director Boyd is as follows:

Producing and Release Public Information from Response(s) to RFP Filed in Dockets in the DMS – **no later than 4:45 p.m. on Wednesday, July 14, 2021**

Questions from Parties for Prospective Qualified, Independent Third-Party Consultant(s) and Expert(s) in Docket Nos. 2021-88-E, 2021-89-E, and 2021-90-E filed with the Commission **no**

later than close of business Monday, July 19, 2021

Questions from Commissioners for Prospective Qualified, Independent Third-Party Consultant (s) and Expert(s) Issued in a Hearing Officer Directive no later than- **Monday, July 19, 2021**

Public Interviews of Prospective Qualified, Independent Third-Party Consultant(s) and Expert (s) at a Commission Business Meeting – **Wednesday**, **July 21**, **2021**

Feedback Related to Public Interviews from Parties in Docket Nos. 2021-88-E, 2021-89-E, and 2021-90-E filed with the Commission **no later than close of business Friday, July 23, 2021**

Final Written Conflicts Check Letter from Prospective Qualified, Independent Third-Party Consultant(s) and Expert(s) filed with the Commission **no later than the close of business Friday, July 23, 2021**

Commission Decision Regarding Hiring Qualified, Independent Third-Party Consultant(s) and Expert(s) at a Special Commission Business Meeting – **Tuesday, July 27, 2021 or Regular Commission Business Meeting on Wednesday, July 28, 2021**

PRESIDING: <u>J. Williams</u>		SESSION: Regul	<u>ar</u> TIME: <u>11:00 a.m.</u>		
	MOTION	YES	NO	OTHER	
BELSER		✓		Pres	ent in Hearing Room
CASTON		✓		Votir	ng via WebEx
ERVIN		✓		Votir	ng via WebEx
POWERS		✓		Pres	ent in Hearing Room
THOMAS	✓	✓		Pres	ent in Hearing Room
C. WILLIAMS		✓		Pres	ent in Hearing Room
J. WILLIAMS		✓		Pres	ent in Hearing Room
(SEAL)					RECORDED BY: J. Schmieding

